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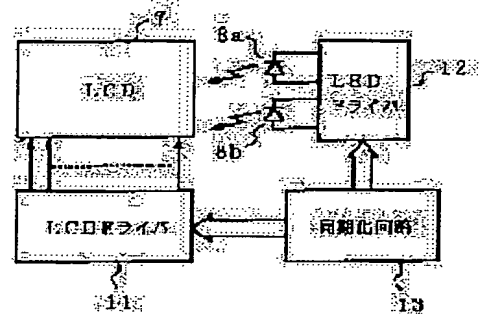
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(54) FINDER DISPLAY DEVICE AND ITS DRIVING METHOD

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To easily distinguish display contents by emitting light with a desired color from a light emitting element in synchronism with a timing of driving a pattern electrode corresponding to the display contents arranged on a display panel.

SOLUTION: By a LCD driver 11 for driving a finder display panel 7, a waved segment electrode signal is impressed on a segment electrode 24, and also, a common electrode signal is impressed on a common electrode 25 in accordance with respective display states. Besides, light emitting elements 8a and 8b are driven in time-division and lighted in order by a light emitting diode(LED) driver 12 for driving the light emitting elements 8a and 8b. Besides, an LCD driver 11 and the LED driver 12 are controlled by a synchronizing circuit 13, and then, the corresponding light emitting element 8a, or 8b, etc., is lighted in synchronism with the waveform displayed on each segment electrode 24. Thus, each mark on the display panel 7 is displayed with different color, then, the display contents are easily distinguished.



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